

BALTIMORE SCHOOL *for the* ARTS

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are planning a trip to the National Museum of African American History & Culture in Washington DC (<https://nmaahc.si.edu/>) located at 1400 Constitution Ave NW, Washington, DC 20560. Students will explore exhibits related to the histories that we have studied throughout the 2018-2019 school year.

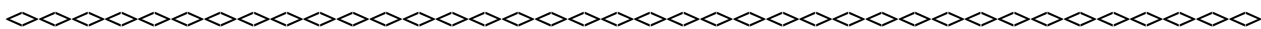
On June 19th, we meet at 10:00 am at Penn Station in Baltimore and will travel to Washington DC's Union Station via the MARC train. The train leaves Penn Station at 10:25 am and arrives at Union Station in Washington DC at 11:25 am. Students should plan to bring a packed lunch to eat on the MARC train on our way to the museum. Alternatively, students may bring some money to buy lunch at the museum cafeteria. However, we will only have four hours to tour the museum. So it is recommended that students eat before entering. Our tickets to the National Museum of African American History & Culture are "timed" for entrance at noon. We will leave the museum at 4pm and leave Washington DC from Union station via the 4:57 pm MARC train. The train is scheduled to arrive back at Penn Station at 5:55 pm.

The field trip is fully funded. Admission to the museum is free and BSA will cover the cost of the MARC tickets and DC Metro Passes. Students should bring their own packed lunch and some spending cash for afternoon snacks. Students should also bring refillable water bottles.

Students should wear comfortable shoes and attire. The weather might be hot outside but the air conditioning in the museum may be chilly. So dressing with light layers is recommended. Students should not carry anything more than what fits in their pockets or a small bag. The museum does not allow outside food or drinks to be brought inside except for water bottles.

If your child has your permission to take this trip, please complete the tear-off portion of this letter, sign it, and have your child return the form to Ms. Bremer by Friday, June 14, 2019 in person or via email mbremer@bsfa.org.

Sincerely, Ms. Bremer



My child, _____ has my permission to participate on the trip to the National Museum of African American History & Culture on June 19, 2019.

_____ I would like to be a chaperone on the trip. (Please initial & give phone number if interested.)

_____ My child is requesting a packed lunch provided by the school. (Please initial if yes.)

Emergency Phone Number

Signature of Parent or Guardian